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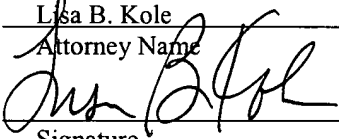
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Official Action dated December 14, 2004,  
please consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants enclose herewith (i)  
a Declaration of Dr. Paul Fisher; (ii) Form 1449 citing four references and copies of the  
cited references; and (iii) a Petition to Extend Time for a period of two months, up to and  
including May 14, 2005, together with the required fee for a small entity (estimated to be  
\$225.00).